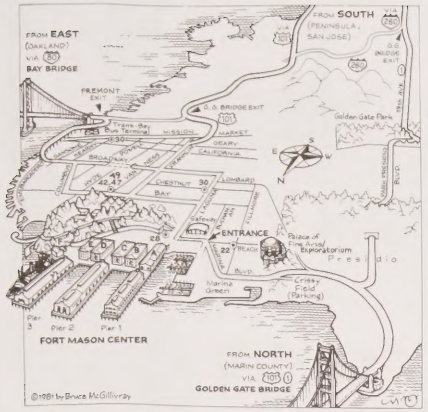

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INFORMATION LINES

Call 979-3010, Fort Mason Center's 24-hour information line, for a recorded message of current week's activities and events.

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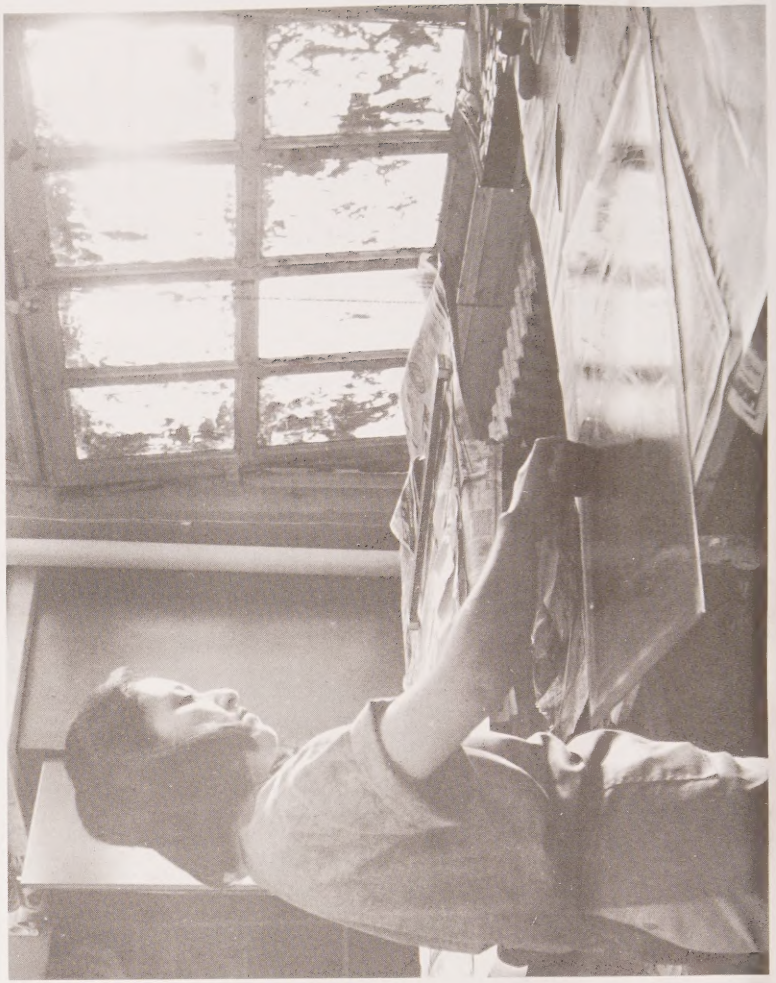

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CCSF Fort Mason Art Campus Summer Session—see article.

ON STAGE AROUND THE CENTER

West Coast Live!
San Francisco's original live performance radio show, hosted by Sedge Thomson. Two hours of live music, conversation and play, broadcast on KALW-FM 91.7. Guests this month include Weslia Whitfield, Martin Cruz Smith, Calvin Trillin, A. S. Byatt, Anne Lamott, and Richard Ford. The show is now heard in the British Isles, Western and Eastern Europe via the America One audio channel. Cowell Theater; see June 1.

AXIS Dance Company
"Hidden Histories/Visible Differences." The 1996 Bay Area Dance Series presents this internationally renowned company in a world premiere performance. AXIS, directed by Thaïs Mazur, is a pioneer in the world of dance, exploring collaborations between people with and without physical disabilities. The program includes original live music, storytelling, and a lobby installation. Cowell Theater; see June 1.

Born Guilty
Pauline Pfandler takes no prisoners in this rollicking, comedic battle against self-imposed limitations. Written and performed by Pfandler, music and sound design by Judy Munsen. Bayfront Theater; see June 1.

Spring Season League Play
The Bay Area Theatresports Spring Season continues with League Championships in June. This is BATS' 10th Anniversary Season, featuring the finest improvisers in the Bay Area. Players are drawn from well-known local performing groups, including Fratelli Bologna and True Fiction Magazine. Bayfront Theater; see June 3.

Waiting At The Water's Edge
A bittersweet comedy by Lucinda Coxon about two Welsh parlormaids, circa 1923. Coached by the ghost of her employer's dead son, a miner's daughter becomes the powerful owner of a coal mine in Nova Scotia. Magic Theatre; see June 4.

Scene Night
The Playwrights' Center of San Francisco presents a workshop for new and experienced playwrights. In an informal circle, writers read scenes from works in progress; a discussion follows the readings. Non-members are welcome. Blue Bear Performance Hall; see June 7.

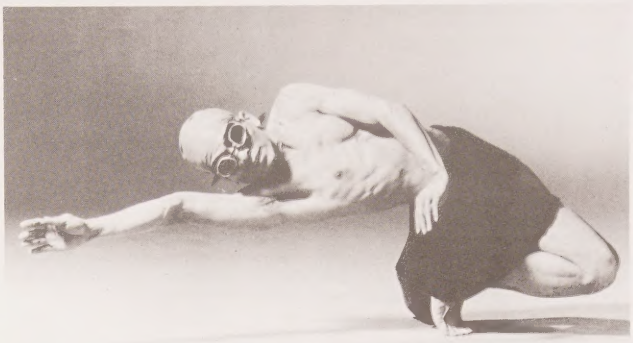
Petrouchka
From the enchanting Russian folk tale, combining puppets and live actors, with music by Igor Stravinsky. A mysterious magician commands three puppets to dance. But are they really puppets? Petrouchka is by turns ridiculous and irascible, but most of all he is human. Will he ever be free of the magician's command, and able to determine his own fate? Young Performers Theatre; see June 8.

Project Panther Phase I
An interdisciplinary collaboration based on the history and accomplishments of the Black Panther Party. The Bay Area African American company Dimensions Dance Theater presents this program in celebration of the Party's 30th anniversary. Cowell Theater, see June 8.

Mirrors
The theater group of the Armenian Cultural Society's New York Chapter presents a 90-minute English-language play that deals with memories of genocide, issues of ethnic identity, and changing values in the US. Written and directed by Dr. Hrand Markarian. Advance sales only. Bayfront Theater; see June 9.

Palabuniyan Concert
A kulintang concert by NEA Fellow Danongan Kalanduyan. Cowell Theater; see June 10.

Pas de Siécle: Dancing Towards The Millenium
The 1996 Bay Area Dance Series presents pioneering work in the classical ballet idiom. This continuing program provides a mechanism for professional dancers and emerging choreographers to experiment with creative and innovative approaches to ballet choreography. Cowell Theater; see June 27.



Pas de Siécle (above)
Photo: Marty Sohl
Project Panther Phase 1 (below)

BUTOH FESTIVAL

Butoh, initiated by Tatsumi Hijikata and Kazuo Ohno in the late '60s, was not just a revolutionary dance movement but a magnetic sphere in which artists from various disciplines interacted. Today, Butoh is widely regarded as one of the major developments in contemporary dance in the latter half of the 20th century.

Its stark, theatrical quality has revolutionized the way people view what dance is, and can be. Originating in Japan, Butoh is enjoying tremendous acclaim in the US, Europe, Israel and South America.

In partnership with Dancers' Group/Footwork, The Asian Art Museum and San Francisco Cinematheque, d-net (dance-network) presents the second annual San Francisco Butoh Festival.

The weeklong celebration includes special guest artists from Japan, and the Bay Area's Hiroko Tamano. This is an unprecedented opportunity to witness master artists in performance and to better understand the origins and future of the form.

The festivities include performances at the Cowell Theater; a Film Night at the Kabuki Theater, at which rare films of Tatsumi Hijikata's dances will be shown; a symposium at the Asian Art Museum; and master classes and workshops with each of the artists.

The festival marks the West Coast debuts of all three guest artists from Tokyo: Akiko Motofuji and her company, Asbestos-kan; Saga Kobayashi; and contemporary dance artist Setsuko Yamada. These women represent three generations of Butoh dance.

Also appearing is Hiroko Tamano of Berkeley. Born in Fukuoka in Southwest Japan, she has been based in the Bay Area since 1979. Tamano is the teacher and co-director of Harupin-Ha with Koichi Tamano. Her credits include dancing in Tatsumi Hijikata's "27 Evenings for Four Seasons," performing in the Butoh Canadian Tour, numerous performances in Tokyo, Nagoya, Kyoto and Hiroshima as well as throughout the Bay Area in venues ranging from the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art and Zellerbach Hall to The Lab.

The San Francisco Butoh Festival is an annual event produced by d-net, a San Francisco-based artists' cooperative dedicated to community service, education, and the promotion of dance. Through dialogue and entertainment, d-net seeks to build a bridge of understanding between two cultures by celebrating Japanese ingenuity and American appreciation of Butoh dance.

Performances at the Cowell Theater take place June 13 through 16, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8pm, Sunday at 7pm. For details, see June 13. For information about other Festival programs, call 824-5044. For Cowell Theater tickets, call 392-4400.

Setsuko Yamada

LITTLE RUSSIA

To celebrate the company's fifth anniversary, members of Little Russia Children's Dance Ensemble present "With Russia In Soul," a program of classical ballet and folk dances.

Little Russia started as Russian folk dance classes. Created in 1991 by Leonid Shagalov, with support from the Russian Center of San Francisco, the goal was to acquaint students with Russian culture and traditions through music and dance. The Ensemble achieved phenomenal success, a tribute to the dedication and hard work of Shagalov, a talented dancer, choreographer and ballet master.

Leonid Shagalov came to the US from Moscow in 1990. He had been a soloist, ballet teacher and coach in some of the most prestigious dance companies in the Soviet Union, including the Beriozka Dance Company and the Alexandrov Soviet Army Ensemble. He received his ballet training at the Bolshoi Theater Ballet Academy.

Shagalov now teaches at City Ballet School of San Francisco, Contra Costa Ballet Centre, Marin Ballet, and the Redwood Empire Ballet, as well as several other ballet schools and dance companies in the Bay Area.

Currently, there are about fifty students ranging in age from 6 to 12 in the Children's Dance Ensemble program. Studies include Russian customs and traditions, authentic folk music, folk choreography, folk costume, classical ballet and Russian language. Classes are taught in both English and Russian. The children dance Russian, Ukrainian, Belorussian and other dances, and classical ballet pieces choreographed by Shagalov.

Since 1992, the company has performed at festivals in San Francisco, Carmel and Santa Rosa, at the Fort Ross Historic Park, and at the Northwest Folklife Festival in Seattle.

"With Russia In Soul" takes place in the Cowell Theater June 9, Sunday at 2pm. Tickets are $10, $8 for seniors and students. For information, call 282-8208.

TALES OF MERRIMENT!

The San Francisco Children's Art Center presents an exciting puppet show, "Tales of Merriment and Imagination!" Kids big and small will love "The Tooth-Gnasher Super Flash" and "The Big Orange Splot."

The storyteller is Howie Leifer, founder of the Haight Street Puppet Theater. The tales were written by Daniel Pinkwater, and are presented with musical accompaniment by Peter Munks.

Make Your Own Puppet kits will be available at the show. A puppet-making workshop will be included in the Art Center's summer schedule.

The San Francisco Children's Art Center presents art classes year-round for ages 2 to 10. Participants draw, paint, sculpt and print in small classes with individual attention, exploring the organized freedom of the studio. As children gain confidence, their art becomes a visual diary of their progress.

SFCAC is a nonprofit organization located at Fort Mason Center, committed to encouraging children's imagination and creativity through art. The process involved in making art enables children to develop and practice lifelong skills of creative thinking and expression.

"Tales of Merriment and Imagination!" is presented on June 2, Sunday at 11am and 1pm in the Firehouse. Tickets are $4 for children, $6 for adults; discounts provided for groups and ArtsCard holders. All proceeds benefit the Children's Art Center. For information about the Puppet Show or art classes, call 771-0292.

CALIFORNIA AIDS RIDE 3

More than 2000 adventurers begin a seven-day cycling journey from Fort Mason Center to raise $6 million for HIV/AIDS-related services.

Participants travel from San Francisco to Los Angeles to support the work of the San Francisco AIDS Foundation and the Jeffrey Goodman Special Care Clinic of the Los Angeles Gay & Lesbian Community Services Center.

"It's not often in our lives that we have the chance to challenge ourselves, and in the process achieve something spectacular that will affect thousands of people," said organizers. "California AIDS Ride 3 is one of those opportunities."

For those who can't make the trip, support is possible by volunteering to help with events and activities before and after the beginning of the Ride.

The organizers emphasize that this is a ride, not a race, and is open to everyone. "It is not intended only for cycling experts. Most of the people who do the Ride have never done anything like this before. They are usually drawn to the event for that reason—to take on an extraordinary challenge."

The first challenge is to get into great physical condition, to develop the stamina needed to complete the Ride. Participants are encouraged not just to make the Ride, but to "revel in the physicality of the experience—to thoroughly enjoy it."

Those registered to ride receive a complete training guide. There is a special Training Ride Club that organizes regular volunteer-led training rides every weekend, so training can be done with dozens of other people who are pushing themselves against the same obstacles. "The experience of seeing...hundreds of others that you have been training with for months move beyond their limits will change you forever."

Each participant must raise a minimum of $2,500 in advance of the Ride. For the first AIDS Ride in 1994, participants had to raise $2,000. The average rider ended up raising $3,100. The top rider raised more than $40,000.

Check-in is Saturday, June 1 from 8am to 10pm; the ride begins Sunday, June 2. Opening ceremonies take place in the Herbst and Festival Pavilions at 6:30am with the ride starting at 7am.

There is no admission charge to the activities at Fort Mason Center for spectators or visitors. There is one ceremony on Saturday night with music, speeches, and other entertainment, and one on Sunday morning with music and speeches.

Volunteers are needed Friday through Sunday. To inquire about volunteering, call 908-0400, ext. 403. For information about the Ride, ask for a Rider Representative at the same number.

ART CAMPUS SUMMER SESSION

Photo: Richard Goldwach

City College of San Francisco offers not-for-credit summer classes and workshops at several of its campuses, including the Fort Mason Art Campus in Landmark Building B.

Continuing Education's mission is to offer classes that enrich life by offering a learning environment that is convenient, accessible, and fun. The classes are intended to meet personal development, avocation, recreational, and relicensing needs. Besides returning popular classes, there are many new offerings this semester.

Art Department classes include Artful Containers: Making and Decorating Boxes; Performance Art: Understanding the Live Art Scene; Chalk Pastels; Decorative and Faux Painting; Field Sketching; Glass Into Jewelry; Birthday and Other Greeting Cards; Jump Start Your Art; Papermaking Workshop; Picture Framing Workshop; and Arashi Shibori—Japanese Resist Dyeing.

Photography classes include Beginning; Portraiture; Professional Practices in Photography; The Altered Image; Learning to Use Your Point and Shoot Camera; How to Take Great Vacation Photos; Polaroid Image Transfer; and Polaroid Emulsion Transfer.

Also offered at the Art Campus is a wide variety of interesting and useful classes: The Wines of the Mediterranean; Basic Massage Skills; An Introduction to Aromatherapy; Stuffing the Self/Starving the Soul: How to Stop Compulsive Eating and Make Food a Friend; Seasonal Wreath Making; The Magnificent Gardens of the Italian and French Renaissance; Bicycle Maintenance and Tune-up; and Helping Children Cope with Stress.

Pre-registration is necessary to ensure a space in a class. Some classes are very popular; please call the office if you need to check the enrollment status of a class. Catalogs, which include a registration form, are available at the Art Campus office in the ground-floor lobby of Building B.

Continuing Education classes and workshops registration began on May 1. Classes at the Art Campus run from June 17 through July 26. For information, call 561-1840.

CELEBRATING EARTH & SPIRIT

The Pacific Crystal Guild presents The Great San Francisco Crystal Fair: Celebrating Earth and Spirit. Entering its second decade, the Crystal Fair is a rich community resource for both gem lovers and the metaphysically inclined. The event presents a magical mix of crystals, minerals, jewelry, and the healing arts. Thousands of items are available at excellent prices.

More than forty exhibitors include not only established authorities on precious gemstones, but also practitioners in the emerging fields of metaphysical consciousness. Participants include well-known mineral, crystal, and jewelry dealers from the Bay Area and many other parts of the country.

Based in Sausalito, the Pacific Crystal Guild also hosts Crystal Fairs at Fort Mason Center in February, October and November, and in Walnut Creek in April and August.

The Crystal Fair takes place in the Conference Center, Landmark Building A, June 1 and 2, Saturday from 10am to 6pm and Sunday from 10am to 4pm. Admission is $4, under 12 free. For information, call 383-7837.

SURVIVAL TACTICS FOR NONPROFITS

California Lawyers for the Arts presents its annual seminar on forming and managing a nonprofit organization. This year's theme is "Collaboration in the '90s: Working Together for Survival."

The seminar's morning session focuses on formation issues. Several afternoon panels cover the legal and organizational aspects of collaborations and fiscal sponsorship.

These panels give participants an opportunity to learn about successful collaborative arrangements, identify resources for finding collaborators and sponsors, and obtain tips on organizing fiscal sponsorship ventures without liability.

Topics included: "How to Organize Effective Collaborations: Tips for Working Together," "Finding the Right Collaborator or Fiscal Sponsor: Checklist for Success," "Legal Aspects of Fiscal Sponsorship," and "Ways Individual Artists Can Use Collaborations and Fiscal Sponsorship to Finance Projects."

Among the scheduled speakers are Richard Lee, Lisa Appleberry, and Michael Kesselman of the Koret Foundation.

"Collaboration in the '90s" is presented in the Firehouse on June 29, Saturday from 9:30am to 5pm. Registration fee is $35 to $45 before June 21; $45 to $55 after June 21. Half-day passes are available. Advance reservations are recommended. For information, call 510-444-6351.

California Lawyers for the Arts, a nonprofit organization serving the arts with an office at Fort Mason Center, also presents informal workshops throughout the year to answer basic legal questions. The Wednesday evening workshops begin at 7pm, last about ninety minutes, and cost $15, or $5 for CLA members. Some workshops sell out, so early arrival is recommended.

The workshops are led by experienced attorneys and other knowledgeable professionals, and take place in the CLA office in Landmark Building C.

This month's workshops: "How To Shop Your Demo Tape," by a music business attorney on June 5; and "The Art of Getting Paid," by an experienced business attorney on June 19. Topics include various procedures available to artists to ensure that they get paid for their work, such as demand letters, Small Claims Court, mediation and arbitration. For information, call 775-7200.

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...a learning environment that enriches life.

See article—Art Campus Summer Session

GALLERIES

Bayfront Gallery Open before, during & after Cowell Theater performances. For performance information, call 441-3400

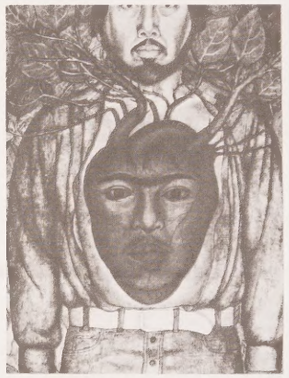
Art "From The Row" Works of art from nine death row inmates at San Quentin Prison. One of the featured artists, Kevin Cooper, displays ten of his paintings covering sports, religion & cultural themes. Sponsored by the SF African American Historical & Cultural Society 5/22-7/30 441-0640

Coffee Gallery Works by students & instructors at the CCSF Fort Mason Art Campus. Daily 8am-11pm FREE adm Lobby Bldg B 561-1840

Mexican Museum Gallery Wed-Sun Noon-5pm $3-$2, children 10 & under FREE (6/5 1st Wed/mo Noon-7pm FREE adm) Bldg D 441-0404

Nahum Zenil: Witness To The Self/Testigo del Ser First solo exhibition in the US of this major contemporary Mexican artist. The show spans the artist's career & explores his use of the body as a means to analyze society. 3/16-9/1

Orientation Gallery Recent acquisitions. 2/10-9/15



Frida In My Heart by Nahum B. Zenil see Mexican Museum

Museo ItaloAmericano Gallery Wed-Sun Noon-5pm $2-$1 (6/5 1st Wed/mo Noon-7pm FREE adm) Bldg C 673-2200

Mario Botta & Enzo Cucchi: La Capella del Monte Tamaro An exhibition documenting the construction & decoration of a chapel in Switzerland. The product of an intense collaboration between outstanding artists, the Chapel of Santa Maria degli Angeli was designed by Botta, Swiss architect of the new SF Museum of Modern Art, & decorated with frescoes by Cucchi, an Italian painter. Included are photographs, working drawings & two models. 5/8-8/11

Italian Language Classes Summer session: various levels meet in small groups twice a week for 5 wks. 5/28-7/1 Mon-Thur 10am or 6:30pm $135/5wks

SF African American Historical & Cultural Society Tue-Sun 11am-5pm (Mon by appt only, for group tours) $3, children under 12 $2 (6/5 1st Wed/mo Noon-7pm FREE adm) Bldg C 441-0640

Portraits In Black: Celebrating The Buffalo Soldiers Rare photographs & artifacts depicting the history of the African American soldier in the US Army from 1866 to 1991. 5/1/95-7/31

Art "From The Row" Works of art from nine death row inmates at San Quentin Prison. One of the featured artists, Kevin Cooper, displays ten of his paintings covering sports, religion & cultural themes. See Bayfront Gallery (above) 5/22-7/30

SF Craft & Folk Art Museum Gallery Tue-Fri & Sun 11am-5pm, Sat 10am-5pm $1 (FREE adm: 6/5 1st Wed/mo Noon-7pm, Sat 10am-Noon & Mon [shop only] 11am-4pm) Bldg A 775-0990

Poe Dismuke: From Vaudeville To Carnival Honoring the craftsmanship of the carnival & sideshow world, Dismuke recreates images stored from childhood. The exhibition evokes the nostalgia of bygone days through a contemporary eye. 6/1-8/11

The Circus Collages Of C.T. McClusky An exhibition of paper collages depicting daily life in the circus environment. Made more than 40 years ago by C.T. McClusky, a relatively unknown circus clown who resided in Oakland during the winter months. 6/1-8/11

The Textiles Of Laos Slide lecture by Laotian textile specialist Mary Connors, author of *Lao Textiles & Traditions*. Sponsored by the Textile Arts Council of the Fine Arts Museums of SF & the SF Craft & Folk Art Museum. 6/13 Thur 4-7pm $5 Bldg C

An Evening Of Special Folk Art Videos "Edward James: Builder of Dreams," a documentary by Avery Danziger about the English collector, poet & architect who built a monument to Surrealism in the jungles of Mexico; & "Rare Visions & Roadside Revelations" by Randy Mason & Michael Murphy, a wacky & wonderful tour of grassroots environments, roadside attractions, & other hidden gems of Kansas. Presented by John Turner, curator of 20th-century American folk art for the SF Craft & Folk Art Museum. 6/18 Tue 7-9pm $5 Bldg C

Docent Tours "Poe Dismuke: From Vaudeville To Carnival" & "The Circus Collages Of C.T. McClusky" 6/1-29 Sat 11:15am FREE

Reception 6/4 Tue 5-7pm FREE

Self-Portrait by Poe Dismuke see SF Craft & Folk Art Museum

SF Museum Of Modern Art Rental Gallery Tue-Sat 11:30am-5:30pm, FREE adm (6/5 1st Wed/mo 5-8pm only) Bldg A 441-4777

Third Annual Art Warehouse Sale Great works of art generously offered at half the normal price by more than 300 invited local artists. Fundraiser for the Gallery's exhibition program, devoted to promoting Bay Area art, & to the Museum. Opening reception 6/5 Wed 5-8pm, runs 6/5-8 Thur & Fri Noon-7pm, Sat Noon-5:30pm FREE adm

Selections From The Gallery 6/12-28

ARTISTS' WAREHOUSE SALE

The San Francisco Museum of Modern Art Rental Gallery presents the Third Annual Artists' Warehouse Sale. This wildly successful event is now a highly anticipated yearly fund-raiser, with great works of art generously offered at half the normal price by more than 300 invited local artists. During the four-day sale, the Gallery will restock daily.

Proceeds from the sale go to the Gallery's exhibition program, and to the Museum.

The SFMOMA Rental Gallery serves a broad range of corporate and individual patrons through its rental and sales operations. In addition, the Gallery mounts eleven exhibitions annually, showcasing the talents of local contemporary artists in all media.

Unlike traditional galleries that only sell and exhibit, the Rental Gallery gives artists added exposure through its rental progam. Gallery patrons enjoy the option of renting artwork first without having to make a commitment to buy. This provides an ideal forum for exchanging ideas about contemporary art.

Sixteen years ago the Gallery began with thirty clients and twice that number of artists. Currently, it accommodates more than 800 patrons and nearly that many artists.

The core of the Gallery's mission is "the commitment to support Bay Area artists," according to Director Marian Parmenter. Exposure at the Gallery has provided many with a jump start on their professional careers as well as an entry to the commercial art world. The Gallery features emerging, mid-career, and established artists, predominantly from the greater Bay Area and Northern California.

Rental Gallery Director Marian Parmenter, collectors Rene DiRosa & John Ward, & Corporate Consultant Sue Sproule

The Warehouse Sale begins June 5, Wednesday from 5 to 8pm, with a gala reception featuring music and refreshments. It continues through June 8, Thursday and Friday from noon to 7pm and Saturday from noon to 5:30pm.

The opening day of the Sale is Free Museum Day. The Rental Gallery will not open until the Sale begins at 5pm. Other museums and galleries at Fort Mason Center are open until 7pm and admission is free. See Galleries listings for details.

Following the Warehouse Sale, the exhibition on display will be "Selections from the Gallery," opening Wednesday, June 12 and continuing through June 28. For information, call 441-4777.

JUNE AT A GLANCE

Events

California AIDS Ride 3 Kick-Off see 6/1
Great SF Crystal Fair see 6/1
First Wednesday At Fort Mason see 6/5
Artists' Warehouse Sale see 6/5
Roosevelt Middle School Auction see 6/9
The Textiles Of Laos see 6/13
Blood Drive see 6/15
Psychic Healing Fair see 6/15
SF Stamp Show see 6/16
Special Folk Art Videos see 6/18
Guardian Angel Techniques see 6/18
Astrology Seminar Series see 6/18
Persian & Oriental Rug Auction see 6/22
Cinderella/Pink Lady & Gin Fizz see 6/23
Peace Corps Public Forum see 6/25
Nonprofit Organization Seminar see 6/29
SF Public Library Book Sale see 6/29
Summer Solstice Tarot Tea Party see 6/29

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Music/Dance

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Children/Family Activities

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Releasing Fears & Guilts see 6/6
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Church By The Bay see 6/2
Adult Children Of Alcoholics see 6/5
Thursday Night Tarot see 6/6
Scene Night see 6/7
Underwater Photographic Society see 6/14
SF Regional Mensa see 6/15
SF Apartment Association see 6/17
SF Bay Area Oceanic Crew Group see 6/18
Guardian Angel Techniques see 6/18
SF Bay Area Postcard Club see 6/22
Entrepreneurs Overnight see 6/22
Make Historical Miniatures see 6/27
Summer Solstice Tarot Tea Party see 6/29

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AXIS Dance Company see 6/1

Alcoholics Anonymous Weekly waterfront meetings w/open discussion, speakers & support for recovering sober alcoholics. Coffee served. 6/1-30 Sat 9-11am, Sun 8-9:15pm FREE Bldg C 621-1326

California AIDS Ride 3 Kick-Off Cyclists, volunteers & spectators gather to begin the week-long ride that finishes in Hollywood (approx. 525 miles) on June 8. Each of the 2,000 cyclists has raised at least $2,500 in pledges to benefit the SF AIDS Foundation & the Jeffery Goodman Special Care Clinic at LA Gay & Lesbian Community Services Center. Volunteers needed to help set up, please call for information. 6:30am FREE adm Herbst & Festival Pavilions 908-0400

Astrological Acupuncture Lecture by Jeffrey Yuen on the Chinese view of astrology as it relates to the human body & medicine. Open point theory, the I Ching & its influence on medical thought, & various philosophical views of heavenly influences. Presented by the Acupuncturists Support Group. 9am-5pm $90 Bldg C 252-8452

West Coast Live! Sedge Thomson hosts SF's original live performance radio show, broadcast from Fort Mason on KALW-FM 91.7, now heard in 24 million homes throughout Europe. Two hours of live music, conversation & play. You may even be chosen to operate the Biospherically Enhanced Digital Optical Aquaphone! On stage 6/1 acclaimed cabaret duo Weslia Whitfield & Mike Greensill, & Martin Cruz Smith, author of *Gorky Park* & *Rose*; 6/8 Calvin Trillin, humorist & author of *Messages from My Father* & A.S. Byatt, author of *Angels & Insects* & *Possession*; 6/15 Anne Lamott, author of *Bird by Bird* & *Operating Instructions*; 6/22 Richard Ford, Pulitzer Prize winner, author of *Independence Day*. 6/1-29 Sat 10am-Noon $12-$10 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card res. req. Cowell Theater 664-9500 ●

National Maritime Museum Library (J. Porter Shaw Maritime Library) Premier collection of maritime history: books, magazines, oral histories, ships' plans & SF Maritime National Historical Park's 250,000 photographs. Orientations by reservation. 6/1-29 Tue 5-8pm, Wed-Fri 1-5pm, Sat 10am-5pm FREE Bldg E 556-9870

Great SF Crystal Fair More than 40 exhibitors present a magical blend of gems, minerals & New Age metaphysical healing tools. On display are thousands of crystals, precious gems & jewelry known for their healing properties, beauty & value. 6/1&2 Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 10am-4pm $4, children under 12 FREE adm Bldg A 383-7837

Book Bay Bookstore Bargain books. 6/1-30 Tue-Sun 11am-5pm FREE adm Friends of the SF Public Library Bldg C 771-1076

Docent Tours "Poe Dismuke: From Vaudeville To Carnival" & "The Circus Collages Of C.T. McClusky" 6/1-29 Sat 11:15am FREE adm SF Craft & Folk Art Museum Bldg A 775-0990

An Evening Of Patrick O'Brien Part history lesson, part open reading, Park Ranger Tom Jares presents a slide lecture describing naval life in Captain Aubrey's time, followed by public readings on a sign-up basis. Bring a favorite O'Brien passage, & join in! 5:30-7pm $3. Nat'l Maritime Museum/J. Porter Shaw Library Bldg E 556-9870

● Friends of the Fort Discount

AXIS Dance Company Bay Area Dance Series presents AXIS Dance Company in the world premiere of "Hidden Histories/Visible Differences," a piece that explores the history & culture of disability through dance, original live music, storytelling, & a lobby installation. AXIS, directed by Thaïs Mazur, is a pioneer in the world of dance, exploring collaborations between people with & w/out physical disabilities. 5/31-6/2 Fri&Sat 8pm, Sun 3pm $16-$14 FMC "Friends" $2 off w/mbrs card Cowell Theater (510) 464-3565 ●

Born Guilty Pauline Pfandler takes no prisoners in her rollicking, comedic battle against self-imposed limitations. She takes an ironic look at the inner demons that routinely shortcircuit her success—from the deprecating Thug, whose daily affirmation is "You're fat, you're dumb, you're ugly," to the relentlessly cheerful Peggy, whose chirpy mantra is "I'm Fine! I'm Fine! I'm Fine!" Written & performed by Pfandler. 5/9-6/2 Thur-Sun 8pm $15 FMC "Friends" $2 off w/mbrs card Bayfront Theater 776-8999 ●

Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●

2 SUNDAY

Treatment Of Dermatological Conditions Lecture by Jeffrey Yuen on dermatological conditions as viewed in Chinese medicine. Treatment protocols using acupuncture & herbs for both internal & external use are shown. Presented by the Acupuncturists Support Group. 9am-5pm $90 Bldg C 252-8452

Church By The Bay Regular services of this non-denominational church. 6/2-30 Sun 10am-Noon FREE Bldg C 242-0995

Tales Of Merriment & Imagination! Kids big & small will love "The Tooth-Gnasher Super Flash" & "The Big Orange Splot." "Make Your Own Puppet" kits available. Written by Daniel Pinkwater & told by Howie Leifer, founder of the Haight Street Puppet Theater. All proceeds benefit the SF Children's Art Center. 11am&1pm $6-$4 Firehouse 771-0292

Alcoholics Anonymous see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
AXIS Dance Company see 6/1 ●
Crystal Fair see 6/1
Born Guilty see 6/1 ●

3 MONDAY

SF Appraisal Institute Educational programs for real estate appraisers. 6/3-8 Mon-Sat "Advanced Sales Comparison & Cost Approaches" to help meet state license/certification & AI membership requirements $625; 6/5-8 Wed-Sat "Standards Of Professional Practice" to meet OREA license/certification requirements $450-$300. 8am-5pm Bldg A 398-2876

Gentle Power Aerobics Gentle but challenging stretching & conditioning program for people over 40. 6/3-28 Mon-Fri 9:30-10:30am $6-$5 Bldg C 389-8249

Theatresports: Spring Season League Play Bay Area Theatresports (BATS) 10th Anniversary Spring Season continues w/League Championships in June. BATS features some of the finest improvisers in the Bay Area. 4/1-6/24 Mon 8pm $8-$6 group rates available FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card Bayfront Theater Bldg B 824-8220 ●

4 TUESDAY

Waiting At The Water's Edge A bittersweet comedy by Lucinda Coxon about two Welsh parlormaids, circa 1923. Coached by the ghost of her employer's dead son, a miner's daughter becomes the powerful owner of a coal mine in Nova Scotia. Previews 5/29-6/1 Wed-Sat 8:30pm, opens 6/4 Tue 8:30pm, runs 6/6-30 Wed-Sat 8:30pm, Sun 6/9&30 2pm, 6/16&23 7:30pm $24-$18, previews $15, Pay What You Can Night 6/26 Wed, three-play pass $48, FMC "Friends" $2 off w/mbrs card Magic Theatre Bldg D 441-8822 ●

Poe Dismuke: From Vaudeville To Carnival & The Circus Collages Of C.T. McClusky Opening reception for exhibits & library open house. 5-7pm SF Craft & Folk Art Museum Bldg A 775-0990

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
SF Appraisal Institute see 6/3
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3

5 WEDNESDAY

First Wednesday At Fort Mason Museums & galleries at Fort Mason stay open late & admission is FREE Noon-7pm 441-3400 see Galleries
Mexican Museum "Nahum Zenil: Witness To The Self/Testigo del Ser" Bldg D
Museo ItaloAmericano "Mario Botta & Enzo Cucchi: The Monte Tamaro Chapel" Bldg C
SF African American Historical & Cultural Society "Portraits In Black: Celebrating The Buffalo Soldiers" Bldg C
SF Craft & Folk Art Museum "Poe Dismuke: From Vaudeville To Carnival " & "The Circus Collages Of C.T. McClusky" Bldg A
SF Museum Of Modern Art Rental Gallery Third Annual Art Warehouse Sale (open 5-8pm only) Bldg A

Third Annual Artists' Warehouse Sale Great works of art generously offered at half the normal price by more than 300 invited local artists. Fundraiser for the Gallery's exhibition program, devoted to promoting Bay Area art, & to the Museum. Opening reception 6/5 Wed 5-8pm, runs 6/6-8 Thur& Fri Noon-7pm, Sat Noon-5:30pm FREE adm SF Museum Of Modern Art Rental Gallery Bldg A 441-4777

How To Shop Your Demo Tape A music business attorney discusses the steps involved in shopping a demo tape. 7-8:30pm $15 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card California Lawyers for the Arts Bldg C 775-7200 ●

Adult Children Of Alcoholics A 12-step program focusing on parental alcoholism's effect on childhood as manifested in dysfunctional adult behavior. 6/5-26 Wed 7:30-9:30pm FREE Gatehouse 442-7998

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
SF Appraisal Institute see 6/3
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3

6 THURSDAY

Releasing Fears & Guilts "We can dissolve emotional pains & blocks by understanding how & why we set them up: to find the jewel—the positive lesson behind the hurt & then release it." Lecture by Betty Bethards, healer & author of *Be Your Own Guru*. 8pm $10-$7 Firehouse (707) 765-2200

Thursday Night Tarot Spiritual discussion group focusing on the Tarot Major Arcana as symbolic of the Cabalistic Path to Self-Realization. 6/6-27 Thur 8-10pm FREE Bldg C 454-6109

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
SF Appraisal Institute see 6/3
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Third Annual Art Warehouse Sale see 6/5

7 FRIDAY

Scene Night Monthly meeting for new & experienced playwrights. Bring works in progress for informal group readings w/discussion. Presented by the Playwrights Center of SF. 7:30pm $5 Blue Bear Performance Hall Bldg D 626-4603

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
SF Appraisal Institute see 6/3
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Third Annual Art Warehouse Sale see 6/5

Tales Of Merriment & Imagination! see 6/2

8 SATURDAY

Fort Mason Tour Guided walk through this cultural & recreational facility. More than 50 arts, environmental & cultural groups make Fort Mason Center their home. Museums, theaters, galleries, classes & workshops utilize these converted military warehouses. 6/8&22 Sat 11am-12:30pm FREE (call to reserve space) Bldg A 441-3400

Copyright Clinic Drop-in consultations w/a copyright attorney sponsored by California Lawyers for the Arts. 6/8&22 Sat 10am-12:30pm $25-$15 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card Bldg C 775-7200 ●

The Lunar Nodes: Basic Keys To Chart Interpretation Discover how to use the moon's nodes to decipher a chart's basic theme, the pervasive storyline repeated throughout one's life. Presented by David R. Railey & the National Council for Geocosmic Research. 10:30am-5:30pm $65 FMC "Friends" $10 off w/mbrs card Bldg C 558-9614 ●

Petrouchka From the enchanting Russian folk tale, combining puppets & live actors, w/music by Igor Stravinsky. A mysterious magician commands three puppets to dance. But are they really puppets? Petrouchka is by turns ridiculous & irascible, but most of all he is human. Will he ever be free of the magician's command, & able to determine his own fate? 6/8-7/28 Sat&Sun 1pm $7-$5 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card Young Performers Theatre Bldg C 346-5550 ●

Project Panther Phase 1 An interdisciplinary collaboration based on the history & accomplishments of the Black Panther Party. Dimensions Dance Theater, one of the Bay Area's leading African American dance companies, presents this production in celebration of the Party's 30th anniversary. Music provided by Dimensions' musicians & Ta-Seti, whose artistic director is a former Panther. 8pm $15 FMC "Friends" $2 off w/mbrs card Cowell Theater 392-4400 ●

Alcoholics Anonymous see 6/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
West Coast Live! see 6/1 ●
Docent Tour see 6/1
SF Appraisal Institute see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Third Annual Art Warehouse Sale see 6/5

9 SUNDAY

SF Tesla Society Public lecture w/guest speaker on assorted topics in science & technology. 1-4:30pm FREE Bldg C (800) 731-0717

With Russia In Soul Little Russia Children's Dance Ensemble presents classical ballet & traditional folk dances to celebrate the company's fifth anniversary. Choreographed by founder & artistic director Leonid Shagalov. 2pm $10-$8 Cowell Theater 282-8208

Roosevelt Middle School Auction First annual dinner & silent auction to provide funding for programs to support the growth & development of children. All proceeds will be donated to the School. Hosted by the School & Bay View Federal Bank. 5-8pm $25-$12, $45/pair, $170/table of eight Bldg A 387-0331

Mirrors The theater group of the Armenian Cultural Center's New York Chapter presents an English-language play dealing with memories of genocide, issues of ethnic identity, & changing values in the US. Written & directed by Dr Hrand Markarian. 3:05 & 7:05pm $15, limited seating, advance sales only. Bayfront Theater 664-6040

Alcoholics Anonymous see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Church By The Bay see 6/2
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Petrouchka see 6/8 ●

10 MONDAY

Palabuniyan Concert A kulintang concert by 1995 NEA Fellow Danongan Kalanduyan to kick off preparations for the Third Annual Filipino American Arts Exposition, starting in August at Yerba Buena Gardens. 7:30-9:30pm $15-$10 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card Cowell Theater 436-9711 ●

Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Theatresports: Spring Season see 6/3 ●

11 TUESDAY

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3

12 WEDNESDAY

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Adult Children Of Alcoholics see 6/5

13 THURSDAY

The Textiles Of Laos Slide lecture by Laotian textile specialist Mary Connors, author of *Lao Textiles & Traditions*. Sponsored by the Textile Arts Council of the Fine Arts Museums of SF & the SF Craft & Folk Art Museum. 4-7pm $5 Bldg C 775-0990

Pas de Siécle see 6/27
Photo: Marty Sohl

SF Butoh Festival d-net (dance-network) presents premieres by internationally acclaimed Butoh dance artists, three from Tokyo & Berkeley's Hiroko Tamano. This Festival marks the West Coast debut of the artists from Japan, who represent three generations of Butoh dance. Program 1: Akiko Motofuji & Asbestos-kan, & Setsuko Yamada; Program 2: Saga Kobayashi & Hiroko Tamano. 6/13-16 Thur-Sat 8pm, Sun 7pm $17-$13 Festival Pass $25, $2 off w/mbrs card Cowell Theater 824-5044 ●

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Thursday Night Tarot see 6/6

14 FRIDAY

Underwater Photographic Society Monthly meeting w/slides, film or lecture on diving around the world, plus information on upcoming dive trips & events. 7:30-10pm FREE Bldg C (510) 635-2943

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
SF Butoh Festival see 6/13 ●

15 SATURDAY

Blood Drive Healthy volunteer donors needed to give blood for Bay Area patients. Organized by the Irwin Memorial Blood Centers. 9am-1pm FREE Gatehouse 567-6400

Reach For The Stars Make your dreams come true. Learn to stay patient, focused & committed on the journey. Presented by Lynne Morris. 10am-1pm $20-$15 pre-reg. req. Bldg C 522-9237

Psychic Healing Fair Bring spiritual awareness into everyday life w/a reading or healing from Psychic Horizons. 1-3pm FREE Bldg C 346-7906

SF Regional Mensa Local chapter of the international IQ society invites everyone to its monthly gathering. 7pm $5 Gatehouse 329-8525

Alcoholics Anonymous see 6/1
West Coast Live! see 6/1 ●
National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Docent Tour see 6/1
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Petrouchka see 6/8 ●
SF Butoh Festival see 6/13 ●

16 SUNDAY

SF Stamp Show Sale & trade of philatelic material to collectors & the general public. 10am-4pm FREE adm Bldg A (408) 227-9419

Alcoholics Anonymous see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Church By The Bay see 6/2
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Petrouchka see 6/8 ●
SF Butoh Festival see 6/13 ●

17 MONDAY

SF Apartment Association Monthly membership meeting. Discussion of issues pertaining to running & managing rental property. 7-10pm FREE Bldg A 255-2288

Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Theatresports: Spring Season see 6/3 ●

Mirrors see 6/9

18 TUESDAY

An Evening Of Special Folk Art Videos "Edward James: Builder of Dreams," a documentary by Avery Danziger about the English collector, poet & architect who built a monument to Surrealism in the jungles of Mexico; & "Rare Visions & Roadside Revelations" by Randy Mason & Michael Murphy, a wacky & wonderful tour of grassroots environments, roadside attractions, & other hidden gems of Kansas. Presented by John Turner, curator of 20th-century American folk art for the SF Craft & Folk Art Museum. 7-9pm $5 Bldg C 775-0990

SF Bay Oceanic Crew Group Sharpen individual skills, enjoy sailing w/qualified skippers & crew. Support environmental groups involved w/Bay Area shores & waters. 7-10pm yearly dues $30, meetings FREE Bldg C 979-4866

Guardian Angel Techniques Explore the gifts of the spirit: healing, prophecy, intuition & aura vision. Experience a mini-reading. 7-10:45pm $8-$4 Bldg C (510) 540-5200

Astrology Seminar Series Presented by the National Council for Geocosmic Research. 6/18 "Breaking Through Karmic Patterns & Finding True Love" by Christina Mary Rakela, producer & host of *Astrology Connection*; 6/26 "Eclipses: What They Are & How To Read Them!" by Georgia Stathis, internationally known astrologer & speaker; 7/2 "Chart Classification" by Alan Epstein, author of *Understanding Aspects: The Inconjunct*, & the founder & former president of AAP; 7/9 "The Arabic Parts (also known as "Lots")" by Kira Ivory, astrological counselor, teacher, writer, hypnotherapist & holistic health consultant. 6/18&26 Tue & Wed, 7/2&9 Tue 7:30-9:30pm $18/session, $60/series FMC "Friends" $3 off/session, $20 off/series w/mbrs card Bldg C 558-9614 ●

Alcoholics Anonymous see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Petrouchka see 6/8 ●
Fort Mason Tour see 6/8
Copyright Clinic see 6/8 ●
Petrouchka see 6/8 ●

19 WEDNESDAY

The Art Of Getting Paid An experienced attorney discusses various procedures available to artists to ensure that they get paid for their work. Topics include demand letters, Small Claims Court, mediation & arbitration. 7-8:30pm $15 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card California Lawyers for the Arts Bldg C 775-7200 ●

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Adult Children Of Alcoholics see 6/5

20 THURSDAY

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Thursday Night Tarot see 6/6

21 FRIDAY

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●

22 SATURDAY

Mind/Brain Power: Tapping Your Genius Learn to create success in professional & personal life. Includes techniques for peak performance & goal setting. 8am-3:30pm $50 Bldg C 455-9208

SF Bay Area Postcard Club Monthly meeting w/discussion & swap meet. Noon-3pm FREE Bldg C 826-8337

Persian & Oriental Rug Auction More than 400 Persian & other high-value authentic silk & wool Eastern rugs are presented. Highlights include Imperial Mashad, pure silk Qum, nomadic Persian, unusual Gabeh, museum-quality Isfahan & Tabriz, classical Heriz & sculptured silk & wool Beijing, ranging from 2x4 to Palace size. 6/22&23 Sat&Sun 2pm FREE adm Bldg A (800) 809-5722

Entrepreneurs Overnight A bimonthly forum for enterprising entrepreneurs. Exchange innovative ideas, ways to create businesses, develop financial prosperity & expand business networks. 7-9pm FREE Gatehouse 563-8179

Alcoholics Anonymous see 6/1
National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Docent Tour see 6/1
West Coast Live! see 6/1 ●
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Fort Mason Tour see 6/8
Copyright Clinic see 6/8 ●
Petrouchka see 6/8 ●

23 SUNDAY

Cinderella, A Future Gothic Fairy Tale/Pink Lady & Gin Fizz An evening show featuring the finest hairstyles & fashions, w/live music from two of SF's hottest bands. Closing event for "Salon Technology/Open Mind Exchange," a symposium for cosmetology professionals (trade only 9am-6pm). Proceeds benefit CASA, The Child's Advocate Services & Project Open Hand. 8-10pm $25 Herbst Pavilion (800) 937-2566

Alcoholics Anonymous see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Church By The Bay see 6/2
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Petrouchka see 6/8 ●
Persian & Oriental Rug Auction see 6/22

24 MONDAY

Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Theatresports: Spring Season see 6/3 ●

25 TUESDAY

Peace Corps Public Forum Program & discussion led by returned volunteers on their experiences living & working overseas. Q&A & application procedures. 6/25&26 Tue&Wed 7-9pm FREE Bldg C 744-2677

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3

26 WEDNESDAY

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Adult Children Of Alcoholics see 6/5
Astrology Seminar Series see 6/18 ●
Peace Corps Public Forum see 6/25

27 THURSDAY

Make Historical Miniatures Educational plastic models under construction are displayed. The SF North Bay Chapter of the International Plastic Modelers Society presents projects. 7:30-9:30pm FREE Gatehouse 499-5612

Pas de Siécle: Dancing Towards The Millennium The 1996 Bay Area Dance Series presents a new platform for pioneering work in the classical ballet idiom. This continuing program will provide a mechanism for professional ballet dancers & emerging choreographers to pursue creative & innovative approaches to ballet choreography, allowing for experimentation & freedom from conventional limitations. Featured artists: Abra Rudisill; the Lawrence Pech Dance Company; The LAB, Projekt Group-USA; Ricardo Bustamante; Julia Adam; & Robert Moses' Kin. 6/27-29 Thur-Sat 8pm $16-$14 FMC "Friends" $2 off w/mbrs card Cowell Theater (510) 464-3565 ●

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Thursday Night Tarot see 6/6

28 FRIDAY

Recess! Night of play for adults. Bring friends or make new ones at this playful, laugh-ful break from everyday life. 7:30-10pm $15 FMC "Friends" $5 off w/mbrs card ●

National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 6/3
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Pas de Siécle see 6/27

29 SATURDAY

Nonprofit Organization Seminar "Collaboration in the '90s: Working Together for Survival." Afternoon panel discussions focus on the legal & organizational aspects of collaborations & fiscal sponsorship. The morning session focuses on formation issues. Presented by California Lawyers For the Arts. 9:30am-5pm $55-$45, ½ day pass available, adv. res. rec. ($45-$35) FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card Firehouse (510) 444-6351 ●

SF Public Library Book Sale Thousands of new & used books are offered at $1 or less each w/all proceeds benefiting the SF Public Library. Sponsored by Friends of the SF Public Library. 6/29 & 30 Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 10am-3:30pm FREE adm Bldg A 557-4257

Summer Solstice Tarot Tea Party Lecture, open discussion & reading workshop on Tarot. All levels welcome. 12:30-4pm $20-$15 Gatehouse 753-5041

Alcoholics Anonymous see 6/1
West Coast Live! see 6/1 ●
National Maritime Museum Library see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Docent Tour see 6/1
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Petrouchka see 6/8 ●
Pas de Siécle see 6/27 ●

30 SUNDAY

Alcoholics Anonymous see 6/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 6/1
Church By The Bay see 6/2
Waiting At The Water's Edge see 6/4 ●
Petrouchka see 6/8 ●
SF Public Library Book Sale see 6/29

● Friends of the Fort Discount

CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Young Performers Theatre Performances for the family Sat&Sun 1pm $7 adults, $5 children under 13 FMC "Friends" $1 off w/mbrs card Young Performers Theatre Bldg C 346-5550 ●

Petrouchka From the enchanting Russian folk tale, combining puppets & live actors, w/music by Igor Stravinsky. 6/8-7/28 see 6/8

SF Children's Art Center Classes for children ages 2-10 in drawing, printmaking & sculpture. Drop-in classes & art birthday parties available. Bldg C 771-0292

Tales Of Merriment & Imagination! "The Tooth-Gnasher Super Flash" & "The Big Orange Splot." "Make Your Own Puppet" kits available. Written by Daniel Pinkwater & told by Howie Leifer. 6/2 Sun 11am&1pm $6-$4 Firehouse see 6/2

EDUCATION

A-1 Saturday Class Traffic School DMV & court-approved school to help clear your driving record. 6/1&29 Sat 8am-4:15pm $26/class Bldg C (800) 294-0088

Clipper/Database User Groups Computer users share solutions to common problems. 6/25 Tue dBase Group includes demonstration of computer software & industry news. All ability levels welcome. 6/24&25 Mon&Tue 7-10pm $5/class Gatehouse (510) 845-5274

Educate Families About Adoption Introductory seminar for families considering adoption, domestic & international. Covers Q&A on procedures, documentation, timing, & costs. 6/19 Wed 7-9pm FREE Bldg D 388-3561

Entrepreneurs Overnight New bimonthly meeting. A forum for people w/innovative ideas & ways to create businesses & develop prosperity. This month highlights Excel & Nikken. 6/22 Sat 7-9pm FREE Gatehouse 563-8179

Handwriting Analysis Workshops Discover how the loops, swirls, hooks & angles of handwriting reveal personality. 6/6 "Understanding The Basics." What it is & how it works; 6/15 "Connecting On The High-Tech Highway." Now that the "web" is a part of life, the possibilities for connecting are endless (9am); "Change Your Handwriting, Change Your Life!" See how/why changing your handwriting habits actually can change your personality (1pm). Presented by Ann Mahony. 6/6 Thur 6-9pm, 6/15 Sat 9am & 1pm $45/course Bldg C 982-0679

Italian Language Classes Various levels meet in small groups twice a week for 5 wks. 5/28-7/1 Mon-Thur 10am or 6:30pm $135/5wks Museo ItaloAmericano Bldg C 673-2200

Money Magic Learn to break through prosperity blocks, use natural laws to manifest comfort & security. Put your subconscious to work! 6/22 Sat 1-5pm $55 Gatehouse 995-1916

Network Data Solutions Two workshops for advancement in computer use: "Doing Business On The Internet" utilizing the Superhighway (9am); "Using Windows95 With Netware 4.1" (10:30am). 6/22 Sat 9am FREE Gatehouse (510) 538-2630

The Positive Power Of Anger *Learn to use anger as a powerful teacher & gain a positive new direction in fulfilling your life.* 6/8 Sat 10am-1pm $45 Gatehouse 282-5434

Puppy & Dog Obedience & Behavior Sharon Newman of Canine Counseling provides training based on respect & trust that develops your dog's willingness to please. 6/23-8/18 Sun 12:30-1:30pm, 6/6-8/6 Tue or Thur 6:30-7:30pm $190/course Bldg C 648-2736

Puppy Training Enjoyable puppy-friendly classes that produce people-friendly & mannerly adult dogs. 6/10-7/22 Mon 6-8pm $125/6wk course Bldg C (510) 658-8588

Reach For The Stars Make your dreams come true. Learn to stay patient, focused & committed on the journey. Presented by Lynne Morris. 6/15 Sat 10am-1pm $20-$15 pre-reg. req. Bldg C 522-9237

MARTIAL ARTS

Chinese Martial Arts w/Jack Man Wong. Learn Tai Chi & Northern Shaolin for robust health, high spirits, rational thinking & self-defense. 6/2-30 Wed 5:50-7:30pm, Sun 10am-Noon $40/mo Bldg C (510) 261-7105

Jing Mo Athletic Association Traditional gung-fu hand forms & weapons for exercise/self-defense. Adults & children. 6/7-28 Fri 6:30-9pm $35-$25/mo Bldg C 753-1269

Original Tai Chi Chuan Gene Chen teaches relaxation from stress, self-defense against sickness & dangerous attacks & to balance both mind & body. 6/4-27 Tue&Thur 7:45-9:45pm $50/mo Bldg C 661-3786

Shaolin/Wudang Mountain Kung Fu Martial arts, conditioning, internal exercises & meditation for serious students. 6/4-28 Tue&Thur 6-7:30pm, Fri 7-8:30pm $50/mo Bldg C 564-9282

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PERFORMING ARTS

A Is For Acting: The First Step Meet the characters inside yourself. Taught by B. Lynn Goodwin for actors, teachers, salespeople, playwrights & others. 5/7-6/11 Tue 6:30-9:30pm

Acting Class Intensive teaching course covering a range of acting & stage techniques. Taught by Steve Abrams, theater instructor, director & acting coach. Pre-reg. req. To audit class call for info. 6/6-27 Thur 6:45-9:45pm $125/mo Bldg C/Gatehouse 285-3029

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Scene Night Monthly meeting for new & experienced playwrights. Bring works in progress for informal group readings w/discussion. Presented by the Playwrights Center of SF. 6/7 Fri 7:30pm $5 Blue Bear Performance Hall Bldg D 626-4603

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How To Shop Your Demo Tape 6/5 Wed 7-8:30pm $15 see 6/5

Copyright Clinic 6/8&22 Sat 10am-12:30pm $25-$15 see 6/8

The Art Of Getting Paid 6/19 Wed 7-8:30pm $15 see 6/19

Nonprofit Organization Seminar "Collaboration in the '90s: Working Together for Survival." Panel discussions. 6/29 Sat 9:30am-5pm $55-$45, 1/2 day pass available, adv. res. rec. ($45-$35) Firehouse (510) 444-6351 see 6/29

CCSF Fort Mason Art Campus Academic & recreational classes in ceramics, drawing, basketry, jewelry, painting, printmaking, sculpture, photography, textiles, stained glass, & the business of art. Summer session (credit classes) 6/17-7/26. Registration is still open for non-credit (continuing education) classes. Office hours Mon&Fri 8:30am-5:30pm, Tue-Thur 8:30am-10:30pm, Sat 8:30am-4:30pm Bldg B 561-1840

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Fiction Writing Intensive course w/Gordon Lish, author of *Dear Mr. Capote, What I know So Far, My Romance, Mourner At The Door, Peru, Extravaganza,* & *Zimzum,* editor of *The Quarterly,* former editor at Alfred A. Knopf & *Esquire.* 6/14-16 Fri-Sun 10am-5pm $450/course Bldg C 391-0533

Western Public Radio Advanced & beginning classes in all aspects of radio, including broadcasting, production & technical. Low-cost studio time available. Bldg D 771-1161

HEALTH &RECREATION

Astrological Acupuncture Lecture by Jeffrey Yuen on the Chinese view of astrology as it relates to the human body & medicine. Open point theory, the I Ching & its influence on medical thought, & various philosophical views of heavenly influences. 6/1 Sat 9am-5pm $90 Bldg C 252-8452

Beyond Health MIT-trained scientist Raymond Francis presents a workshop on health. 6/20 Thur 7-9pm $10 Gatehouse 453-7588

Creative Gentle Yoga Basic Hatha yoga exercises. Reach new levels of health & flexibility w/ Devi Ananda Baptiste. 6/5-26 Wed 6:30-7:30pm $10/class Gatehouse 386-8534

Gentle Power Aerobics Gentle but challenging stretching & conditioning program for people over 40. 6/3-28 Mon-Fri 9:30-10:30am $5-$4 Bldg C 389-8249

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Liebovian Hypnosis For Smokers Help yourself kick the habit in one session w/Richard Liebow. Includes weight & stress management techniques. 6/13 Thur 6:30-9:30pm $39 Bldg C 928-2851

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Rebirthing Group Learn this safe, gentle breathing process facilitating relaxation, inner peace, self-improvement & mental, emotional & physical healing. Monthly meeting w/Ian Ganze. 6/23 Sun 4-7pm $25 Bldg C 386-1977

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Intermediate Lindy/Swing Popular & versatile dance steps for Big Band, Rockabilly, '50s Rock 'n' Roll, Country Swing & Rhythm & Blues. 8pm

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